

Joint Discussion Between the Chair-  
man of the People's Party Committee  
and the Ex-Chairman of the Democratic  
Committee.—A large crowd heard  
them.—Three Fourth of the Audience  
Voted the People's Party Ticket.—  
and the Following and You will see  
that a Great Victory for the People's  
Party.

Grantham's Store, N. C.  
THE CAUCASIAN:

At the hour appointed for the  
joint discussion at this place between  
Mr. Marion Butler, representing the  
People's party, and Mr. F. M. Sim-  
mons, representing the Democratic  
party, a large crowd had gathered.  
It was an ugly, threatening day but  
despite this between 700 and 800  
people were gathered to hear the  
champions of their respective sides.  
It being Mr. Butler's appointment  
and Mr. Simmons' friends having  
challenged him for a joint discus-  
sion, under the rules Mr. Simmons,  
of course, spoke first. The follow-  
ing is a correct abstract of the speech  
made by a gentleman who took full  
notes. He said:

MR. SIMMONS' SPEECH.

"I am glad to meet so many of the  
good people of Wayne county here-  
to-day. I come to talk to you about  
the great issues now before the peo-  
ple and the important elections that  
we will soon have. I am a Demo-  
crat but not a free-trading Democrat.  
I do not come to bull doze but I come  
to talk in a simple manner. I am a  
Democrat from conviction. I, like  
Senator Vance, believe that the prin-  
ciples of the party are immortal.  
The Democratic party will live after  
the People's party is dead. If the  
will of the people is to rule, the  
Democratic party must live and the  
People's party must die. Let us  
look at the three parties now in the  
field.

The Republican party stands for  
monopoly, for making a few rich  
and for making many poor, there-  
fore we ought not to support that  
party.

The People's party represents just  
the opposite view from the Republi-  
can party, but it does not declare  
that it will abolish the wrongs of  
the Republican party, but it stands  
for paternalism and offers to feed the  
poor when hungry and give work to  
the idle when out of employment.  
It proposes to have a government to  
do everything for the individual.  
The Republican party represents an  
extreme, and the People's party rep-  
resents the other extreme.

Now the Democratic party does  
not stand for either one of these ex-  
tremes, but occupies a middle ground  
between the two.

Let us see what is the record of  
the Republican party. When it  
went into power thirty years ago  
there were no monopolies, no trusts,  
and no millionaires. To-day there  
are ten thousand millionaires in  
America. No man can accumulate  
a million of dollars in a lifetime by  
honest work, if he does, it must be  
by the help of the Government in  
passing unjust laws in his favor to  
give him the advantage over his fel-  
low-man. When the Republican  
party went into power one-half of  
the wealth of the country was in the  
hands of the wealth producer, now  
only one-fourth of the wealth of the  
country is in the hands of the wealth  
producers. It has been robbed from  
you and has gone into the hands of  
the rich manufacturers. My friends,  
just think of it, to-day 25,000 men  
own over half of the wealth of the  
country. There are 25,000 people  
in Wayne county yet this small  
number of people own more wealth  
than all of the rest of the people in  
this country.

THE CAUSE.

These are the facts. Now my  
friends, let us see what is the cause  
of this state of things. The coun-  
try has been growing richer all the  
time yet unjust legislation has been  
making the great bulk of the people  
grow poorer. This has been done  
by the Republican party. It has  
been done through the tariff. The  
tariff is the greatest question now be-  
fore the American people. It affects  
over 4,000 articles of consumption.

Now, my friends, you have seen  
what a bad condition we have gotten  
into. I have shown you who did it,  
and I have shown you that we have  
done it through the tariff. Now let  
us see what the Democratic party  
has done to remedy these evils. Some  
people say that we have done nothing,  
but listen at me and let me tell  
you what we have done.

It is true that we have not done  
all that we wanted to, and all that  
could have been done, and the fact  
is, millionaires and monopolist have  
been against us and have done  
everything that they could to pre-  
vent our Congress from legislating  
in the interest of the people, but in  
spite of this opposition we have cut  
down the tariff 25 per cent. we have  
cut down tariff on every article.  
You can now buy a knife for 35 cts.,  
before we passed our tariff bill, 75 cts.  
before we passed our tariff bill, 75 cts.  
at this point he held up a knife and  
said, "I bought this knife this morn-  
ing from Mr. Hop Smith in Golds-  
boro, I paid him 35 cts. for it. He  
told me that he would have charged  
me 75 cts. for it last summer. Mr.  
Matt Lee of Goldsboro told me this  
morning that he was selling cotton  
bagging and ties for less than he

sold them before the tariff bill was  
passed and at the same time was mak-  
ing more money himself than he  
did before. Yes my friends the Demo-  
cratic party has saved you 50 cts.  
on every bale of cotton. The Popu-  
list say that we have not done any-  
thing, but I think that is a great  
deal.

"We have done something besides  
this, we have passed an income tax  
which all you people said you wanted.  
We raised by that means be-  
tween \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000 a  
year; we took this large tax off of  
you and put it on the rich man. Mr.  
Butler said two years ago that if the  
Democratic party would pass an in-  
come tax that he would come back to  
the Democratic party. We are now  
ready to receive him; will he come?  
He is here to answer himself.

"We have done something else.  
We have not only cut down tariff,  
but we have cut down expenses of  
running the government. We have  
not only saved you about \$25,000,000  
in tariff taxes, but we have saved  
you about \$25,000 in pensions. You  
must remember that the tariff and  
pensions are the two greatest curses.  
The Populist say that we need  
more money. That is true, and I  
admit it but the greatest trouble is  
that what money we have got is now  
concentrated in a few centers. We  
would have nearly enough money  
now if it was distributed around.

The trouble is the money has gone  
into the hands of a few rich men,  
and there is but little of it scattered  
down here; but if more money was  
issued as the People's party say they  
want, it would at once go out of your  
hands into the hands of men who are  
already rich. What is it that is  
drawing your money at this time  
away from you? It is the tariff and  
the pension; as I have said before  
these are the two greatest curses.  
The Republicans have all the time  
steadily increased pensions. When  
Cleveland was in power we paid only  
\$58,000,000 a year to Federal soldiers;  
when Harrison went out of  
power we were paying \$151,000,000  
a year. Now we must stop this, the  
Democratic party is the party to do  
it.

Let us look at the People's party  
for what it is coming party. It is  
not able to do much yet, it agitates  
too much, it ought to stop it and not  
be stirring up bad blood in the coun-  
try. The States where the People's  
party have gotten in power have been  
a scene of discord and turmoil. Even  
Mrs. Lease says that the People's  
party in Kansas has not given the  
people good government. In other  
states the People's party has had to  
register at the point of the bayonet.  
Their Governors have defied Presi-  
dent Cleveland; they are spreading  
Loyalism everywhere.

Let us see what the People's party  
congressmen and senators have done;  
they went to Congress claiming that  
they were in favor of economy and  
low taxes, but during the last Con-  
gress they have introduced bills call-  
ing for \$35,000,000,000 of appro-  
priations. This is three times as  
much money as there is in the world.  
If these fellows had their way they  
would bankrupt the government.  
Besides Senator Peffer has introduced  
a bill to raise all taxes by a tax on  
land. My dear farmers just think  
of this, Peffer, the People's party  
senator wants to put a heavier tax  
on you than you bear now. You can  
hardly now pay the taxes that you  
have to bear, and Peffer wants to put  
a tax on you poor farmers. How do  
you like that kind of reform? I am  
telling you this to let you under-  
stand what kind of wild men are  
leading the People's party out West.  
You People's party men here are  
honest and law abiding, but those  
Western men are crazy. If you could  
realize what kind of folks they were,  
you would all leave them and come  
back to the Democratic party. The  
Democrats have no ill feeling against  
you, we stand ready to welcome you  
all back, and when you come we will  
kill the fattest calf.

FREE SILVER.

The Populist say that the Demo-  
crats are opposed to free silver, let  
us see how that is. I am as strong  
for free silver as any of you. I don't  
question your honesty in being for  
free silver, and you can't question  
mine. I denounce the demonetiza-  
tion of silver, if what has been done  
can justly be called demonetization.  
I am in favor of bimetalism; I am  
in favor of putting silver on an equal  
footing with gold. And England,  
Germany and other foreign countries  
would agree to it we could have free  
coinage here right away, but the time  
is not yet ripe for free silver; if it  
had been Cleveland and last Con-  
gress would have given it to you. If  
it had not been for the panic I be-  
lieve that the last Congress would  
have at least commenced initiatory  
legislation on silver, but any how we  
are in better fix than any other na-  
tion. We have not struck down sil-  
ver as the Populist say. Why my  
friends do you know that the Demo-  
cratic party is coining silver right  
now? As a proof of it look at these  
new silver dollars with 1894 on them  
(and here he took out of his pockets  
several new silver dollars and handed  
them out in the crowd for inspec-  
tion). Don't you see the 1894? Don't  
you see my friends we are coining  
silver? Look on carefully, don't  
you see 1894 on those silver dollars;  
they have not been coined over thirty  
days. We coined \$748,000 of them  
last month. There is \$50,000 of  
them now piled up in the bank at  
Raleigh. They are being sent out  
as fast as the Government can print  
them to every bank; and to-day ev-  
ery farmer when he carries his cotton  
to town is paid by these dollars.  
My friends we are all in good fix if  
we only knew it. We have got more  
money to-day than any other country,  
except France. The Democratic  
party is not only in favor of fixing  
the tariff right, but it is in favor of

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THE SOUTH AND HER TEMPTER; FAUST AND GRETTCHEN.



The Demon of contraction stands behind the Democratic office holder as he tries to betray the South into the hands of the goldbugs. We pray to God she may see the goldbug devil behind her tempter.

silver and State banks, and through  
these means we will give you good  
times. How can the People's party  
do any better than this through the  
Sub-Treasury, free coinage of silver  
or any other plank in their platform.  
Free silver can't do much for you  
any way, for Col. Polk said it would  
only increase the circulation at 30  
cents a head."

At this point Mr. Simmons  
asked how much more time  
he had. He was told six minutes.  
He then said it was too short to  
develop another idea in, and that he  
would stop if Mr. Butler would allow  
him to have this six minutes addi-  
tion in his rejoinder. Mr. Butler  
spoke up promptly and said "very  
certainly." Mr. Simmons got very  
feeble applause, evidently the Demo-  
crats were disappointed in him.

MR. BUTLER'S SPEECH.

As Mr. Butler went on the stand  
three cheering cheers were given him  
and every man crowded close around  
the stand to hear him. He said:

Fellow citizens of Wayne, Duplin,  
Sampson and Johnston counties: I  
agreed to speak after much persua-  
sion. The management of the cam-  
paign from head to tail needs every  
minute of my time. But I am glad  
that I came, and I am especially  
glad that there is an able speaker  
here to represent the other side. I  
have been waiting to hear a Demo-  
cratic speech for months. I wanted  
to see how they would try to re-  
concile their promises in the last cam-  
paign and their actions since they  
have been in power. I have heard  
Mr. Simmons here have heard him.  
He was chairman of the Demo-  
cratic State Executive Committee  
two years ago when the party prom-  
ised you to wipe every evil law off  
of the statute book if you would put  
the Sherman Law and put nothing in  
its place. He was chairman of the  
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the Sherman Law and put nothing in  
its place.

I made seventy speeches in the  
last campaign, and to-day I can face  
every one of those seventy audiences  
and make the same speech now that  
I made then. I told you then that  
the Democratic party got into power  
that it would not keep its promises.  
I told you that they would not  
give you honest tariff reform, but  
would take the tariff off of every-  
thing, and let the manufacturer  
make as much, if not more, money  
than he makes now. They have not  
only done this but they have done  
worse. I did not think then that  
they would boldly sell out to the sug-  
ar and whiskey trust.

I told you then that if the Demo-  
crats got into power that they would  
not give you free coinage of silver,  
told you that they would repeat  
the Sherman Law and put nothing in  
its place. I charged this on every  
stump but Mr. Glenn and Mr. Ay-  
cock and every other Democratic  
speaker indignantly denied it.

I told you that if the Democrats  
got into power that they would not  
increase the circulating medium, but  
I did not charge that they would  
contract the currency still further,  
for I did not think that they were  
that completely under the thumb of  
the shysters.

I charged that they would not re-  
peal the National banking law, but I  
did not think that they would intro-  
duce and try to pass a bill to increase  
the power of the banks over your  
money, but they did. I charged  
that the Democrats were just as  
much to blame for the issues of gold  
bonds made in the past as the Re-  
publicans were, but I did not charge  
that they got the power that they  
would issue more bonds. Because  
the Republicans have not dared to  
issue any bonds since 1875. The gold  
bonds tried to force Harrison to issue  
bonds in 1872, but he refused to do  
so. I did not know that Cleveland  
and the Democratic party had at  
that time promised the gold bugs  
that they would issue bonds if they  
(the gold bugs) would put up enough  
money to put the Democratic party  
in power.

So you see, my friends, that I can  
face every audience and make the

same speech now I did then, and it  
would be true except that the Demo-  
crats have done twice as bad as I  
told you they would do.

I stand now for precisely the same  
principles I stood for then. We are  
faced by the same evils, except that  
the evils have grown worse.

Mr. Simmons and his party cannot  
stand now where they stood then,  
for their actions have belied their  
words, and according to the News  
and Observer, "all honest men or  
have nothing but contempt for them."

But, my friends, I am not going  
to make a set speech to-day. I am  
going to reply to Mr. Simmons. I  
will take up his speech just as he de-  
livered it and show that every claim  
that he made for his party was either  
fallacious or untrue, and that every  
charge he made against the Peoples  
was either untrue or bold demagoguery.

SIMMONS' ARGUMENTS RIDDLED.

Mr. Simmons started out by trying  
to tell you what kind of a Democrat  
he was. But I could not understand  
his definition. Can any man in this  
audience (either Democrat or Popu-  
list) tell me if they understood his  
definition. Is he a free silver Demo-  
crat or is he a Vance Democrat? Is  
he a monopoly Democrat or is he a  
Cleveland Democrat? Is he a Thos.  
Jefferson Democrat? Is he a Ran-  
som Democrat or is he a Vance Demo-  
crat? In his speech he said he  
was like Vance in some respects.  
What! Simmons like Vance? No  
answer. Mr. Vance said that if the  
Democratic party were to go down to  
the gold trust and repealed the Sherman  
law without putting something better  
in its place, that the "best part of  
the party would walk out of itself  
and go down to the gold trust and  
brimstone and Wall street behind."  
Silver has been killed in the home of  
its pretended friends, and like Vance  
said the best part of the party has  
walked out of itself and left the  
gold trust and Wall street behind.  
Now we can see what kind of a Demo-  
crat Mr. Simmons is. He is a Matt  
Ransom Democrat. He is a Wall  
street Democrat with the smell of  
brimstone on him.

WHICH PARTY IS GROWING.

Mr. Simmons says that the Demo-  
cratic party will live long after the  
the Peoples Party is dead. But the  
Democrats are bad doctors and bad  
prophets. Two years ago they  
said the People's party was dead. They  
even preached its funeral. But the  
Peoples Party did not die. It is here  
today, it is bigger and stronger than  
it was then. In fact the Peoples  
Party is the only one that is growing  
to-day while all other parties are  
gradually going ground—gradually  
dying. I can prove this. Turning  
to Mr. Simmons he said, Mr. Sim-  
mons, for every man you will name  
who has gone to the Democratic party  
from the Peoples party, I will name  
ten who have left the Democratic  
party to come to the Peoples Party.  
(No answer). This is proof of the  
pudding.

THEY DEFEY THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE.

He says that if the will of the peo-  
ple is to rule that the Democratic party  
must live and the Peoples Party  
must die. What an astounding  
statement! Mr. Simmons is the last  
man I ever expected to hear say any  
thing about the will of the people.  
He represents the element in the  
Democratic party that has no re-  
spect for the will of the people.

He and his class think that they  
have a right to cheat any man out  
of his vote if he does not vote the  
Democratic ticket. The vilest and  
most damnable frauds that ever dis-  
graced this State were practiced two  
years ago, when you, Mr. Simmons,  
were chairman of the State Execu-  
tive committee and were directing  
the campaign for the machine. How  
dare you to talk about the will of  
the people when there are right now  
40 years in this country under the  
same registration, yet who were de-  
franded two years ago by your heel  
ers acting under instructions in that  
infamous secret circular of yours.

WHAT THE THREE PARTIES REPRE-

Mr. Simmons said that the Republi-  
can party represented one extreme  
in government and that the Peoples

Party represented the other, while  
the Democratic party occupied a mid-  
dle ground between the two. There  
is some truth in that. The Demo-  
cratic party in the days of Jefferson  
and Jackson represented the other ex-  
treme from the position of Hamilton  
and the Republican party, but the  
modern Democratic got so close to the  
National Republican party, that  
there was practically no difference  
between them. This made it neces-  
sary for a new party to occupy the  
old Jeffersonian Democratic position.  
The Democratic party may to-day be  
between the two but it is so close to  
the Republican party in Congress  
that the average man can not see  
between them. Don't Cleveland and  
Ransom stand exactly with John  
Sherman and other gold bug Republi-  
cans in their efforts to contract the  
currency to put down the price of cot-  
ton, to make every debt harder to pay  
and to make times harder? Yes, the  
Peoples Party represents just the op-  
posite extreme from this. We are  
for striking down the gold and mon-  
ey trust. We are for more money  
instead of making it scarcer.

THE WRONG CAUSE.

Mr. Simmons said that during the  
last 31 years that trusts and monop-  
olies had grown up, that the money  
of the country had gotten into a few  
hands, and that 10,000 millions had  
sprung up. He said that 30 years  
ago the wealth producers owned half  
the wealth of the country while to-  
day they owned less than one-fourth  
of the wealth. He said that only  
25,000 men owned over half of the  
wealth of the country.

All of this is very true, but what  
did he tell you was the cause of it?  
He told you it was caused by unjust  
legislation. This is very true. But  
he went on further and told you that  
it was done through the tariff; he  
told you that the tariff was the great-  
est issue. Mr. Simmons reminds me  
of a man who gets in the pulpit and  
preaches the true gospel against  
stealing and then goes straightway  
and steals himself. Mr. Simmons'  
picture of the condition of the coun-  
try is true, and sounds very much  
like the Alliance speech, but his ap-  
plication is entirely wrong. Now,  
my friends, remember he told you  
that your wealth was being drawn  
from you each year to make million-  
aires while you got poorer. He told  
you this was done through unjust  
legislation; he then capped the clin-  
ax by telling you that this unjust  
legislation was the tariff. Now, my  
friends, every man in this audience  
knows himself that the one thing  
that is the matter with the country  
is that condition of things which  
is making millionaires every year, as  
Mr. Simmons says, and makes thous-  
ands poorer at the same time. But  
if it is the tariff that does this as  
he claims, then certainly the majority  
of the millionaires in this country  
should be men who have made their  
millions out of the tariff. (Turning  
to Mr. Simmons he said), now, Mr.  
Simmons, I want to ask you before  
these people if the majority of these  
ten thousand millionaires that you  
have talked about have bled the peo-  
ple out of this money through the  
tariff?

Mr. Simmons: "Do you want me  
to answer?"  
Mr. Butler: "Yes, I want you to  
answer here and now."  
Mr. Simmons: Yes I say that  
the majority of them have made  
their millions out of the tariff."  
Mr. Butler: "Now let us see if  
that is true. (Mr. Butler takes a  
list of the millionaires out of his pocket  
and turning to Mr. Simmons said):  
Mr. Simmons you may honest-  
ly believe what you have just said,  
but I am going to teach you and to  
prove to this audience that there is  
not a word of truth in it. As the  
old man said, a proof of the pudding  
is a piece of the pudding. Now let  
us have the facts here before this  
audience. I state that for every one  
man who has made a million dollars  
out of tariff, that there are two men  
who have made a million out of un-  
just legislation in favor of bankers,  
money trusts, and railroad monop-  
olies. Now Mr. Simmons you name  
one man who has made a million out

of tariff and I will stand here for an  
hour and name two men who have  
made their money out of this infer-  
nal financial system and transporta-  
tion system for every one that you  
will name." (No answer from Mr.  
Simmons.)

Mr. Butler: "Mr. Simmons I am  
waiting on you for an answer. Stand  
up now and prove your statements  
by the facts, or admit before this  
audience that you are either ignor-  
ant or that you have willfully tried  
to deceive them."

Mr. Simmons: "Oh, I don't care  
to go into that."  
Mr. Butler: (Turning to the  
audience) "You hear, gentlemen,  
what he says, when I call upon for  
the proof he refuses to give it; he  
says, 'Oh, I don't care to go into  
that.'"

"What did he come out here for?  
I came out here to give the people  
the facts. This very question is the  
most important one now before the  
American people. Every body  
wants to know it, what it is that  
is bleeding them out of their lives and  
substance; what it is that makes  
those who toil and spin grow poorer,  
while their work makes the country  
richer, and a few reap the riches?  
Every man wants to know this, for  
every man is affected by it. There  
are one hundred men in America to-  
day who are being bled by unjust  
laws, while only one out of one hun-  
dred is being benefitted. The Demo-  
crats have been telling you for thirty  
years that this was caused by the  
tariff. I stand here to-day and  
charge that they have willfully and  
maliciously deceived you every time  
they have made such a statement.  
I stand here to-day and charge that  
the National Republican party, and  
the National Democratic party have  
both gone into a conspiracy with the  
money powers and the railroad mon-  
opolies to bleed you out of your  
wealth, while at the same time they  
have agreed to keep these great over-  
shadowing issues in the background  
and go before you in a battle over  
tariff. One side telling you times  
will be better if the tariff is lower;  
the other side telling you times will  
be better if the tariff is made higher.  
I charge them both with hypocrisy,  
treachery, and falsehood, and to-day  
when I called upon Mr. Simmons, a  
champion of Democracy in North  
Carolina, to prove what he says  
about the tariff, he says, 'Oh, I don't  
care to go into that.'"

"Now, my friends, if he does not  
care to go into that, you do. Your  
pocket book is at stake, the educa-  
tion of your children is at stake, the  
welfare of your home and fireside is  
at stake; you must go into this mat-  
ter and go into it quick and drive  
from power with your ballots these  
tariff hangers, and at the same time  
strike a deadly blow at the great  
gold trusts, which bleed you five  
times as much as the tariff."  
Is there a man in this audience  
who has voted the Democratic ticket  
in the past who will vote it again  
after these facts have been shown  
here to-day? Now gentlemen I had  
intended to reply to every statement  
that Mr. Simmons made about the  
new Democratic tariff bill, but since  
he has completely confessed either  
his ignorance or his hypocrisy on  
these great questions, I shall give  
but little more time to the matter,  
but leave it to you as a jury.

He said that the tariff effects four  
thousand articles. Admit that it is  
so, my answer to it is that the pre-  
sent infamous financial system effects  
a hundred thousand articles. He  
said that they had reduced the tariff  
on every article. For arguments  
sake let us admit that this is so, yet  
they have reduced the volume of a  
money at the same time, and made times  
harder, and if every article was a  
little cheaper it would take more  
pounds of cotton this year to pay  
for it than it did last year.

THE TARIFF A SMALL THING COMPARED TO FINANCE.

He said that the tariff bill had  
saved every farmer 50 cts. on the  
bagging and ties for every bale of  
cotton. My answer to that is, that

## SEPTEMBER DEFICIT.

WHAT DEMOCRATIC PROSPERITY  
MEANS UNDER THE NEW  
TARIFF BILL

THE SEPTEMBER DEFICIT TWO MIL-  
LIONS GREATER THAN THE PANIC  
DEFICIT ONE YEAR AGO. ALARM  
AND CONSTERNATION OVER  
THE PROSPECT OF AN-  
OTHER HARD ISSUE.

Corn and Wheat Falling and Five cent  
Cotton probable. Eastern Democrats  
threaten to Bolt Ransom's nomination if  
defeated by the Machine and Revenue  
office-holders. A prominent Democrat  
declares that no self-respecting Demo-  
crat can vote for him, in the face of his  
Record against silver. Both his Record  
and Association in the Senate are against  
the Southern Democratic Policy.  
on the Silver question. Gorman his Free  
and John Sherman his Total on Fi-  
nancial questions. Never voted for Free  
Coinage only when its consummation  
was an impossibility.

(Special to THE CAUCASIAN.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.

A prominent Eastern Democrat is  
authoritative for the statement that the  
Eastern anti-Ransom candidates  
elected to the Legislature will never  
submit to Western dictation in the  
nomination of the Eastern candidate.  
Supplementing the statement was the  
positive assertion that no Democrat  
elected to the Legislature on the  
free-silver State platform will vote  
for Ransom in joint assembly, in the  
event of

MACHINE CAUCUS NOMINATION.

"When Ransom voted to repeal  
the Sherman law, he betrayed the infor-  
mation," "he betrayed the people. It  
was a cold blooded bargain. His  
vote was estimated at so many ap-  
pointments, and the appointments  
mean so many Ransom votes in the  
Legislature. It is a clear case of  
bribery. The people will not con-  
done it. The machine may triumph  
in its desperate efforts to secure a  
caucus nomination, but I am satisfied  
that the opposition to his election in  
the Legislature. The Democratic party will  
be strong enough to prevent it.

RANSOM'S SILVER RECORD.

His fine speeches in the big opera  
houses is all right, but all the same,  
the plain people are talking about  
his record on silver. Eighteen out  
of twenty-four Southern Democratic  
Senators voted against the repeal of  
the Sherman law. Ransom was one of  
the six gold-bugs. The other traders  
and traitors are White, of Louisiana,  
immediately afterwards appointed a  
Justice of the Supreme Court; Cap-  
t. W. C. Cullum, Miss.  
Every attempt to amend the repeal  
bill was defeated by the same pur-  
chased vote. Morgan's free-coinage  
amendment was a direct proposition  
to put silver where it was in 1837.

RANSOM VOTED "NO."

The vote in detail was, Yeas—Al-  
len, Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Butler,  
Call, Coke, Daniel, Dabois, George,  
Harris, Irby, Jones, Ark.; Jones,  
Kyle, Martin, Pasco, Peffer,  
Power, Pugh, Roach, Sharp, Ste-  
wart, Teller, VANCE, Walthall, Wol-  
cott.  
Nays—Aldrich, Caffery, Camden,  
Carey, Cullum, Davis, Dixon, Dolph,  
Faulkner, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson,  
Gorman, Gray, Hale, Higgins, Hill,  
Hoar, Lindsay, Lodge, McMillan,  
McPherson, Manderson, Mitchell,  
Wiss, Morrill, Murphy, Palmer,  
Perkins, Proctor, Quay, RANSOM,  
Sherman, Smith, Stockbridge, Tur-  
pie, Vilas, Voorhees, Washburn,  
White, La.

BLACK LIST EXPOSED.

On the day following the vote  
Senator Morgan posted the black  
list in the Senate chamber and in-  
dignantly called the peoples atten-  
tion to the humiliating spectacle.  
By name he called the roll of the 16  
black-listed Democratic Senators,  
namely:  
Caffery, Camden, Faulkner, Gib-  
son, Gorman, Gray, Hill, Lindsey,  
McPherson, Palmer, RANSOM, Smith,  
Vilas, Turpie, Voorhees and White  
of Louisiana.  
"Now then," observed our infor-  
mant, "if the machine forces his nom-  
ination on the party, no self-respect-  
ing Democrat will hesitate to repu-

A POINTER.  
We printed over 500,000 copies in  
1893. We expect to print and cir-  
culate during the present year  
A MILLION COPIES

NO. 51.

THOSE 1894  
SILVER DOLLARS.

WHAT GEN. A. J. WARNER, PRESIDENT  
OF THE SILVER LEAGUE, SAYS  
ABOUT THEM.

DESAIY THAT THEY DO NOT INCREASE  
THE CURRENCY ONE CENT.

He says that Mr. Cleveland is burning up  
Paper Money for every Silver Dollar  
Coined. He says that this is "downright  
deception" and is a complete betrayal of the  
goldbugs to fool the people. He says  
that the Government is making "Official  
Misstatements of Facts."







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GOLDSBORO, N. C., OCT. 18, '94.

## WAYNE COUNTY.

### LOOK AT THE LABEL.

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### INDEX TO NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Dr. B. F. Arrington—Dentistry, James M. Grant—Sheriff Sale, S. I. Bell & Co.—Philadelphia, Pa. Burlington Blanket Co.—Burlington, Wis. B. M. Woolley—Atlanta, Ga. We wish to request our readers when writing to any of the above companies to say that you saw the advertisement in THE CAUCASIAN.

## EDITORIAL.

### POU'S ADDRESS—A WAIL OF DESPAIR.

The hopelessness of the Democratic outlook in the State is graphically presented in Chairman POU's address to Democratic voters. It has in it the wail of despair. Evidently it is POU's own brilliant conception. Certainly it is an unauthorized promulgation—unless, like POU, the central committee has lost its head. We quote from it that others than "Democratic voters" may anticipate the result of the election and appreciate the methods employed to accomplish it. The guileless and pious-looking young statesman, who always wears an affidavit face, say with unaffectedunction: "The indications all over the State are that the people have turned against the fusion ticket and that they will bury it beneath an avalanche of indignant votes." What is meant by "indication" follows. This is important. It is impressively stated: "We have borrowed strength and gathered inspiration from the great victory won in Georgia and Alabama where tickets made up, like the mongrel one in this State, have been buried beneath decisive majorities. The returns from these elections show that as a political factor the Populist movement at the South is at an end." The country knows how the Populist party was extinguished in Alabama and Georgia. Even the "fresh" Mr. POU is not ignorant of the methods employed by the "machine" to effect the result in these two States. Against the most daring and shameless frauds, the Populist vote in both States increased over one hundred per cent. By a fair count the Populist party won a splendid triumph, electing its State and Legislative ticket. The result was defeated by a notoriously false count. No self-respecting Democrat attempts to deny or extenuate it. Democrats are proud of the stigma. They accept it as "a decoration of honor." It is for this achievement that the Democratic State committee have "borrowed strength and gathered inspiration." A bold, candid confession. Its significance will not be lost on Democratic election officers. This is an improvement on the Avery-Simmons methods in 1892. An open address is more reputable than a secret circular. The result may not be different, but POU's methods are cleaner. They lack the element of conspiracy. We hope this year that no member of the State Supreme Court is responsible for the debauchery of the ballot box. POU is inspired by Democratic success in Georgia and Alabama. The Democratic victory in this State, if won, will be due to that "inspiration." Georgia and Alabama "inspiration" has already demoralized the Populist party in North Carolina. Mr. POU has "exclusive" information to that effect. He says "the Populists are losing every day their men of character, and all those who went into it from principle." And all on account of the Georgia and Alabama election. That is not all. There seems to be no limit to his information. He says "the best men in the Republican party refuse to sanction the deals made by their own discredited leaders with would-be Populist autocrat." That is not all. More startling news yet is the statement that "in almost every county in the State discord reigns supreme among the ranks of our enemies." According to POU—a wonderful man he is—the fight is won. "The question now is only one of majority." He has, no doubt, just learned of the action of the county commissioners and the question as to the size of the majority he thoughtfully submits to the pollholders and county returning boards. Speaking to these officials he queries: "Shall it be such a majority as will leave the Fusionists some hope for the future, shall we pile up such a majority as will for years to come dishearten the enemies of our State?" Not content to leave "the question of majority" to the precinct and county "machine" the cold-blooded suggestion is made that "the enemies of our State" be annihilated. "This

committee begs that you make choice of the latter course. It is within the power of the Democrats of North Carolina to annihilate the Fusion aggregation." This extraordinary address concludes with the suggestion that nothing less than 40,000 majority will do the work effectually. POU, as chairman of the Democratic committee, makes the bold assertion that it "is within the power of the Democratic party in North Carolina" to do it. That is true. It can be done by dishonest election methods. It can be done by false counting. It can be done as it was done in Alabama and Georgia. The question is, WILL IT BE DONE? Has POU the courage to defy public sentiment by repeating the experience of 1892? That it will be attempted is made perfectly plain by the action of the county commissioners and his address. It means that. Its reference to Populist and Republican disaffection is the boast of a braggart and ignorant. Let every honest reformer rush to his post of duty and bury this set of ballot box stuffers now and forever. If you allow them to practice their infamous methods this year, they will grow still more bold, defiant and corrupt. Let every patriot rush to the breach. Let us crush this liberty destroying machine. Let us redeem the State and give the people a clean and honest ballot.

### HE LIES FROM NECESSITY.

The assertion was made in THE CAUCASIAN last week that Mr. Cleveland and the Democratic Congress instead of condemning and cutting down this "fabulous increase" in pensions at once proceeded to appropriate for 1894 \$166,531,350.00, making an increase of \$3,375,997.48. With its characteristic imprudence and ignorance the Raleigh "Organ" disputes this statement. It is true, unless the "abstract of appropriations" prepared by Mr. Sayers, chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations is a lie. The money has been appropriated and the expenditure for pensions for the current year will be \$8,000,000 in excess of last year. Not one dollar has been saved to the taxpayer in the alleged retrenchment of \$25,000. Every dollar appropriated will be collected. If it is not used it will be covered in to the Treasury and will be used by the next congress to meet a pension deficiency. The Democratic leaders in congress were fully advised of Hoke Smith's operations and methods in his retrenchment scheme. He urged in person, the committee on pensions and the committee on appropriations to reduce the appropriations \$25,000,000. His recommendations in the matter influenced the committee to increase the appropriations \$8,000,000. A Democratic Congress repudiated his wild scheme. He persisted and the result is this boasted Democratic retrenchment. The Democratic party is powerless to correct pension abuses. Eastern and Western Democrats are unalterably opposed to any change that may affect the soldier vote. The most extravagant and outrageous pension claims are allowed with a word of dissent from Southern Democrats. They are muzzled. Pension pension and witness the empty seats on the Democratic side in the House. They are cowards. They were brave enough in war. Many of them are battle-scarred veterans. But they are political cowards. The Washington editor of the Raleigh "Organ" holds a clerical position under Hoke Smith. He dare not tell the truth about this pension scandal. It would cost him his job. He lies from necessity.

The speakers who beg you to stand by the "dear old Democratic party" and to give it another chance are those who now have fat offices and want to keep them, or they are men whose expenses are being paid by the trusts and monopolists. Look at the lists of the Democratic speakers and you will now see on the stump two Rail Road Commissioners who are drawing their pay daily to serve the people, yet who have left their offices and are now on the stump canvassing for the Democratic party. If the Democrats were the only men who paid the taxes to pay the salaries to these officers, then the remainder of the citizens of the State would have nothing to say, but every citizen in the State has been taxed to pay these men's salaries to do certain work and to serve the whole people of the State. But instead of doing this they have stopped serving all the people and gone to serving only a part of the people, and in fact less than half of the people. If they are not willing to serve all of the people, but prefer to serve the Democratic machine, then they should have the decency to resign their offices and let some men take them who will serve all of the people all of the time, while all the people are being taxed to pay him. The same is true of Mr. Leazer who is Superintendent of the State Penitentiary. The same is true of Capt. Octavius Coke who is Secretary of State.

Many other speakers who are now running around through the State begging the people to stand by the Democratic machine while they neglect their duties but do not neglect to draw their salaries daily.

In this connection it may also be noticed that Mr. Simmons who is Internal Revenue Collector, Mr. Aycock and Mr. Glenn who are United States District Attorneys for North Carolina are violating daily the rule laid down by our Government that Federal office-holders should not participate actively in political campaigns. In the past, Mr. Cleveland has enforced this rule so rigidly that office-holders who did any more than to simply vote have been removed from office. Then why is it that these men who are playing the role of "pernicious partisans" with impunity? They certainly would not be doing so if they thought they would thereby lose their offices. Then certainly they have been given especial permission by Mr. Cleveland to act as "pernicious partisans" in this campaign. Why has Mr. Cleveland broken his rule to give them such special permission in this State while he has not done so in other States? It is because Mr. Cleveland is concerned about the election of Senator Jarvis. No, for the Gold Bugs are not certain whether they can depend on him or not. Then it must be because Cleveland and the Gold Bugs are much concerned about the election of Senator Ransom; therefore Mr. Simmons, Mr. Glenn, Mr. Aycock, have been given especial permission or possibly they have been ordered to take the stump in this campaign to help re-elect Mat Ransom, the biggest fraud and the most consummate traitor who has ever disgraced North Carolina in the United States Senate or anywhere else.

The unfortunate and helpless farmer is always the victim. A pound of cotton will lack 2 cents of paying for a pound of sugar under the new tariff bill. Last year you could buy a pound of sugar with a pound of cotton and have 2 cents left in your pocket. Every time you swap a pound of cotton for sugar you are 4 cents a pound worse off than you were a year ago. But that is not all. Germany threatens, on account of the sugar schedule, to shut out the well fed American hog that has been fattened on the grain that the Democrats assured the farmers would sell at a dollar a bushel. Spain and other countries have already taken a similar course. And this is Democratic "tariff reform." The farmer who, with his eyes thus opened, votes for a continuance of this "reform" will soon vote himself and his children in the poor house, and Democratic commission will be poor compensation. If you want a change vote the People's party ticket.

Ransom says the Democratic party has saved the farmer fifty cents on bagging and ties for every bale of cotton. Are you getting your cotton ginned and baled any cheaper this year than you did last? It cost the editor of this paper five cents more a bale and besides we are forced to sell each bale of the cotton at five dollars less per bale. For one, we do not like this kind of Democratic relief. We are \$5.05 on each bale worse off than we were two years ago.

"Are you an honest man?" This is the heading to an article on the fourth page of this issue. Read it. If you are an honest man it will make you indignant, if you are a dishonest man you will laugh at it.

The Walter L. Main's Mammoth Show exhibited in Goldsboro last Tuesday, giving two splendid performances—afternoon and night. Every feature advertised was to be seen, and on the whole, this is the best Big Show ever seen in our city. The horses are well trained and beautiful animals. Two novel features of the circus deserve special mention, that of the lion riding on a horse's back and the troupe act of Messrs. Stirk and Zeno. The concert was good, and the "butterfly" dance especially so. The management deserves a word of praise for the good order preserved on the grounds and the gentlemanly and courteous attendances of this Show.

## NOTICE! NOTICE!

The law requires that the legislative officers shall all be voted for on ONE BALLOT. The candidate for the House of Representatives in each county, when having his tickets printed should see that the names of the candidate (or candidates if there is more than one Senator in his district) are printed on the same ticket. We have received several orders to print tickets for the candidates for the House. The names and counties of the candidates for the Senate should be sent with every such order so they can be printed on one ballot.

For the Senate, Eight District, JAMES M. MEWBORN, of Lenoir county.

For the House of Representatives, EDWARD C. DENCAN.

Now Jones is in the same Senatorial district, therefore the legislative ticket for Jones county should be:

For the Senate, Eight District, JAMES M. MEWBORN, of Lenoir county.

For the House of Representatives, HENRY FRANK BROWN.

The Chairman of the People's party committee or the nominee for the House should look after this matter in every county. Be sure to have enough tickets printed.

IT WILL BE A DAILY. IT WILL BE A VOTE MAKER.

The campaign edition of THE CAUCASIAN will be a daily. We will begin to print it on Friday. It will be an edition of 25,000 copies. It will take our steam press two days and nights steady running to print it. It will contain a full report of the joint discussion between Butler and Simmons. It will be a complete answer to every Democratic speech that has been made. It will be a vote maker. Send in your orders at once. Send money as follows:

\$1.00 for 100 copies.  
50 cents for 50 copies.  
25 cents for 25 copies.

Put it into the hands of every voter. If he can't read, read it to him.

Over 100,000 negroes paid a poll tax in this State in 1893. Elias Carr's 35,000 plurality represents the grand larceny of 50,000 negro poll tax payer's votes. The Democratic steal of 1892 was a colossal achievement. But it is a mean, dastardly thing to rob the poor colored tax payer of his vote. It is the hyena spirit that robs the grave of its dead. It is base and cowardly. Stop it.

## CURE FOR HEADACHE.

As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels, and few cases long resist the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only Fifty cents at J. R. Smith's, Mt. Olive, N. C.; J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro, N. C.; R. H. Holliday, Clinton, N. C., and all Druggists.

## COUNTY CANVASS.

The Peoples Party candidates for Wayne county will address the people of the county at the following times and places, to-wit:

Fork, Thursday, Oct. 18.  
Graniteville, Friday, Oct. 19.  
Mt. Olive, Saturday, Oct. 20.  
Providence, Monday, Oct. 22.  
Dudley, Tuesday, Oct. 23.  
Indian Springs, Wednesday, Oct. 24.

White Hall, Thursday, Oct. 25.  
New Hope, Friday, Oct. 26.  
Saulston, Saturday, Oct. 27.  
X Roads, Monday, Oct. 29.  
Fremont, Tuesday, Oct. 30.  
Great Swamp, Wednesday, Oct. 31.  
Pikeville, Thursday, Nov. 1.  
Stoney Creek, Friday, Nov. 2.  
Goldsboro, Saturday, Nov. 3.

The Speaking for Great Swamp will be at Pinkney.

W. G. HOLLOLLY, Chm'n Ex. Com.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Reading notices will be inserted in this column for 10 cents per line for each insertion.

## A CARD.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 20, '94.  
The United States Life Insurance Co., Gentlemen:—We herewith beg to acknowledge receipt of your remittance covering claims held by us against you on the life of M. M. Katz, and to thank you for your promptness in settling them, they being the first policies paid out of the different ones held on the life of the deceased. Very truly yours,  
(Signed) K. I. Katz,  
(Signed) Louis W. Katz.  
Memorandum.—Amount of the two policies, \$7,000. Amount of Company's check, \$7,793.41; and in addition, several years' dividends were used by the insured during his life.  
R. E. Jones, Manager,  
Winston, N. C.  
Oct. 11-2t.

## Maj. Wm. A. Guthrie's Appointments.

Lemon Springs, Oct. 26.  
Rockington, " 27.  
Lincolnton, " 29.  
Denver, Lincoln county, " 30.  
Mooreville, " 31.  
Statesville, Nov. 1.  
Willow Grove, Iredell Co., " 2.  
Taylorsville, " 3.

## By order State Ex. Com.

Marion Butler, Chm'n.

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## JOINT DISCUSSIONS.

Between Col. Skinner of the People's Party and Mr. Branch of the Democratic Party.  
Col. Harry Skinner the nominee of the People's party in the first district will meet Hon. W. A. B. Branch, the nominee of the Democratic party in joint discussion at the following times and places:

Beaufort, Carter county October 22, 12 m.  
Ayden, Pitt county October 24, 12 m.  
Falkland, Pitt county October 25, 12 m.  
Bethel, Pitt county October 26, 12 m.  
Greenville, Pitt county October 27, 12 m.  
Washington, Beaufort county October 28, 12 m.  
Goose Nest, Martin county October 30, 12 m.  
Lafayetteville, Gates county October 31, 12 m.

## Dr. Cyrus Thompson's Appointments.

### DUPLIN COUNTY.

Warsaw, Oct. 18.  
Kinston, Oct. 19.  
Beulahville, Oct. 20.

### JONES COUNTY.

Tuckahoe, Oct. 22.  
Trenton, Oct. 23.  
Pollocksville, Oct. 24.

### GRAVEN COUNTY.

Riverdale, Oct. 26, 11 a. m.  
Newbern, Oct. 26, 7:30 p. m.  
Cove, Oct. 27, 11 a. m.

### ONSLAW COUNTY.

Mortons, Oct. 29.  
Swansboro, Oct. 30.  
Marines, Oct. 31.  
Golden Place, Nov. 1.  
Amans Store, Nov. 2.  
Catherine Lake, Nov. 3.

Dr. Thompson will need conveyance from point to point.

H. E. King, Chm'n. P. P.  
Ex. Com. 3rd Cong. Dist.

## MARTIN'S APPOINTMENTS.

Rev. Mr. Martin, Peoples Party candidate, in congress in the 6th District, will speak at the following times and places:

Excelsior, October 19.  
Shallotte Camp, October 19, at night.  
Lockwood's Folly, October 20.  
Summerfield, October 22.

## FENDER COUNTY.

South Washington, Oct. 23.  
Willard, " 23.  
Big Pine at night, " 23.  
Pine Woods, " 24.  
Point Caswell, " 25.

Speaking will begin at 11 o'clock a. m. Y. C. MORSON, Chm'n Ex. Com.

## THE DISCOVERY SAVED HIS LIFE.

Mr. G. Cailloutte, Druggist, Beaufort, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. Was taken with La Grippe and tried all the physicians for miles about, but of no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better, and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We won't keep it on hand without it." Get a free trial at J. R. Smith's, Mt. Olive, N. C.; J. H. Hill & Son, Goldsboro, N. C.; R. H. Holliday, Clinton, N. C., and all Druggists.

## PUBLIC SPEAKING.

Herbert F. Seawell, Esq., People's party candidate for Solicitor 7th Judicial District, will address the public at the following times and places, to-wit:

Piney, Thursday, Oct. 25th.  
Mill Creek, Friday, Oct. 26th.  
Southport, Saturday, Oct. 27th.  
Rosedale, Monday, Oct. 29th.  
Abbotsburg, Monday, Oct. 29th, at night.  
Maxton, Tuesday, Oct. 30th.  
Lumber Bridge, Wednesday, Oct. 31st.  
Hope Mills, Wednesday, Oct. 31st, at night.  
Fayetteville, Thursday, Nov. 1st.

The Democratic candidate will be allowed a free division of them.

W. M. Kivett,  
Chm'n P. P. Ex. Com. 7th Jud. Dist.

## BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

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Read an article on fourth page headed "Are you an honest man?" Read and see what kind of judges of election the county commissioners have appointed.

\$100. REWARD, \$100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only medicine that cures known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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## Appointments for 8th Senatorial District.

E. L. Frank one of the nominees of the 8th Senatorial District will speak as follows:

Onslow county, October 17, 18, 19, 20.  
Jones county, October 24, 25, 26.

Carteret county, Cape Lookout, October 30 at 12 m.  
Carteret county, Straits, October 30 at 7 p. m.

Davis Shore, October 31 at 11 a. m.  
Smyrna, October 31 at 7 p. m.  
Moorhead City, Nov. 1st, 8 p. m.  
Beaufort, Nov. 1st, 7:30 p. m.  
Sanders Store, Nov. 2, at 11 a. m.  
Newport, Nov. 2, at 7 p. m.  
Craven county, Morton's, Nov. 3, at 11 a. m.  
Riverdale, Nov. 5, at 11 a. m.

J. M. Meiborn will speak as follows:

LENOIR COUNTY.  
Neuse, Wednesday, Oct. 24th.  
Falling Creek, Thursday, Oct. 25th.  
Lenoir Institute, Friday, Oct. 26th.  
La Grange, Saturday, Oct. 27th.  
Kinston, Monday, Nov. 5th.  
Greene county, October 24, 25, 26.

Craven county, Vanceboro, October 31, at 11 a. m.  
Fulcher's November 1, at 11 a. m.  
Fort Barnwell, Nov. 2, at 11 a. m.  
Cove, Nov. 3, at 11 a. m.

R. B. KINLEY, Chairman.

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I want every man and woman in the United States interested in the Opium and White Slave Traffic to have one of my books on these subjects. Address B. M. Woolley, Atlanta, Ga. Box 102, and one will be sent you free.

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## DENTISTRY NOTICE.

DR. B. F. ARRINGTON

Will resume practice of Dentistry in Goldsboro on Monday, October 22, 1894. 2nd Office rooms same as formerly occupied by Dr. John Holt until further notice.

## NOTICE—SHERIFF SALE.

By virtue of an execution in my hands, wherein Goldell & Waters are plaintiffs, and the Mount Olive Cane and Canning Manufacturing Co. are defendants, I will sell according to law, at the court house door in Goldsboro, on the 3rd day of December '94, at 12 o'clock p. m., all the real and personal property of said Company. Terms cash.

Signed, James M. Grant, Sheriff. Oct. 18-4t.

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## ARE YOU AN HONEST MAN?

READ THIS RECORD! DO YOU ENDORSE IT?

WHAT THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HAVE DONE.

They Have Given Public Notice by Their Official Action That They Intend to Commit Fraud at the coming Election.

Are those who hold the election machinery preparing to give the people an opportunity to express their will? We give the facts and ask every man who is honest to say what it means. Any election law that is just will provide for each party to have competent men to represent it as judges of the election where the votes are being cast and counted.

This was no doubt the object of the present election law, but it is so carelessly worded that the commissioners if they are not honest men can violate the spirit of the law and escape punishment.

In many counties the majority, at least, of the county commissioners are not just and upright men. We would not make such a grave charge against them if they did not conduct themselves of their own accord.

The law says that the county commissioners shall appoint men to represent the opposing parties on the day of the election. The law should have gone further and required that the commissioners should appoint men from each party who were recommended by such party, or at least satisfactory to them. And by all means the law should have required that the commissioners should appoint for such important positions the best men in the opposing parties, men noted for their integrity and intelligence.

It may be that the person who wrote the law and the legislature that enacted the law took it for granted that men who held the high and important positions of commissioners in each county would be men of enough character and honesty that they would do this as a matter of course. But it has proven to be a fatal blunder.

What are the facts? They are cold facts, they are ugly facts, but THE CAUCASIAN will publish them.

When the commissioners met to appoint judges of the election the officers of the Democratic party appeared and recommended the men to represent the Democratic party as judges of the election. These were appointed. The officers of the People's party appeared and recommended the names of men who would be satisfactory to the People's party. Did the commissioners appoint these men?

No. Who did they appoint? They appointed for the opposing party, not the men selected and recommended by that party, but the men selected by the officers of the Democratic party.

Can you conceive of anything more unfair than this? The Democratic machine allowed them not only to select the men to represent them as judges, but also allowed them to select the men to represent the opposing party. To say this is outrageously wrong is to put it mild.

But who did the Democratic machine select to represent the People's party? Did they select the best men in the People's party for such important places? No! In nine cases out of ten they refused to appoint any people's party men at all.

Then who did they select? Did they appoint the men selected and recommended by the Democratic party or the Republican party? No! But in every precinct where they intend to steal they selected either illiterate men (mostly colored men) or men who cannot be trusted by their parties to guard the ballot. Can you believe that this has been done? We will give you the proof. Immediately after the commissioners had appointed judges of the election we sent the following blank to every county in the State:

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Sept. 29, '94.

TO COUNTY CHAIRMAN:

What action did the Commissioners of your county take about the election judges of the election? Please answer the questions below on this sheet.

Yours very truly,

MARION BUTLER.

1. When did the commissioners of your county appoint Judges of the Election?

2. Did you appear before them and apply for representation for the People's party?

3. Did you name two men who would be satisfactory to the People's party for every voting place in your county?

4. Did they appoint the men recommended by the Ex. Com. of the People's party?

5. If not, did they appoint any People's party men? If so, how many?

6. What is the character of these men?

7. Have we got as much as one man on the board of judges of the election at every voting place in your county?

8. Did they appoint any Republican Judges?

9. If so, were they the men recommended by the Executive of that party?

10. What is the character of the Republicans appointed?

11. Did they appoint any white men or colored men who cannot read and who are otherwise incompetent? If so, how many of each?

12. Name the townships where such appointments were made?

13. Did they appoint a good People's party man in any of the above townships?

14. What is the reputation of the Democratic Judges in the above townships?

These blanks have been filled out and are now on file in this office. We give a few samples below:

WARREN CO.

The commissioners did not ap-

point a single Populist for judge of the election at any of the voting places in the county. They appointed Democrats and negroes many of the latter cannot read.

W. B. Fleming.

HARRIS CO.

The commissioners would not recognize the People's party. They had no business before them. Neither would they appoint the judges recommended by the Republican party. Every one of the Democratic judges appointed by the commissioners are sharp, shrewd fellows.

Z. T. Kivett.

BOWAN CO.

The Democrats intend to do their stealing this year mostly in Salisbury. At this box they have appointed for one of the judges of the election a man who has been guilty of embezzlement twice or three times.

John Beard.

CHOWAN CO.

The commissioners refused to appoint a single man we recommended. The Republican party received the same treatment. The commissioners appointed the men selected by the Democratic machine. Their action means that they will steal all they can.

B. B. Fulton.

BRUNSWICK CO.

The commissioners refused to appoint for judges the men we recommended. They would not appoint the judges asked for by the Republican Ex. Com. If the commissioners were to select all the men for judges they might as well appoint them all from the Democratic party.

W. W. Drew.

ALAMANCE COUNTY.

They appointed Populists at some of the boxes, at some boxes we have no representation at all.

R. T. Kernodle.

JOHNSTON COUNTY.

They refused to appoint the men we recommended. Some of the men they have appointed cannot read or write. Mr. P. of the State Chairman of the Democratic Ex. Com. was here with the Commissioners and it is believed that he dictated their action.

W. R. Creech.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY.

EDITOR THE CAUCASIAN:

They refused to appoint the men we recommended. They did not appoint a single People's party man in the whole county. They also refused to appoint the men recommended by the Republican county committee. They did appoint some Republicans but they were the men of their own choosing or the men recommended from the Republican party by the Democrats. I know of one colored man they appointed who cannot read or write. We have no representation at all.

W. T. Griffin.

FENDLER COUNTY.

They refused to appoint our list, but appointed in many places ignorant colored men. R. T. Sanders.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

The commissioners have appointed weak or ignorant men to represent the opposition in several townships in this county where they wanted to steal. But we will do all we can to protect the ballot.

T. H. McLean.

MARTIN COUNTY.

The commissioners would not appoint a single man recommended by the People's party or the Republicans for judges of the election. They appointed in many places illiterate and incompetent colored men. One member of the Board protested against unfair and unjust action and the majority ran over him. He says that he is disgusted with such methods.

C. C. Fagan.

EDGEMOORE COUNTY.

The commissioners refused to recognize the People's party. They not only would not appoint the men we recommended for judges but they did not appoint a single Populist in the county. They have appointed 12 colored men in Tarboro who cannot read nor write.

James B. Lloyd.

DUPLIN COUNTY.

The commissioners in the county appointed judges of election on first Monday in September. They appointed the men we asked for. But later they held a meeting and rescinded their action and appointed men to snit the machine. O. L. W.

The above is a fair sample of the action of the Commissioners in the Eastern counties. We could fill a column with these reports. This is enough to show every honest man that the Democratic machine intends to count majorities for those who are not elected. Does any honest man in the State approve of this? This thing must be stopped. The will of the people must rule. See to it, men and brethren!

Order copies of this edition of THE CAUCASIAN and put them into the hands of every voter around you.

LAND SALE.

On Monday, October 29, 1894, at 11 o'clock at Arrington's Corner in Rocky Mount, N. C., we will sell at public auction the Home place of S. E. Westry, in Stoney Creek township, Nash County, joining the lands of W. R. Winstead, Robert Barnes and others and containing about 3,100 acres.

The tract will be cut up to suit purchasers in 100 and 200 acre lots. The land is well suitable for tobacco. This is a fine opportunity for a man to buy a home. Tract also contains much fine timber. Terms of sale easy and made known at sale.

THOS. H. BATTLE, Com.

JNO. W. MOORE, Jr.

Rocky Mount, N. C. Oct 4-11

NOTICE!

Having qualified as executor of the last will of James R. Parker, deceased, all persons holding claims against his estate are hereby notified to present them for payment by October 10th, 1895, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

L. W. Parker, Executor.

Oct. 11-64.

## September Deficit.

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ALWAYS A GOLDBUG.

The fact is referred to that Ransom on two occasions voted for free coinage bills. At the time free coinage was impossible. Either a Republican or a Democratic Republican vetoed in the war. He was glad to accept the Sherman law as a substitute for free coinage, and he was ready to repeal the substitute when the gold-bug demanded it. The settlement was intended to prevent free coinage and its repeal had the same object in view. His political association in the Senate has always been with the gold bugs. Sherman is his mentor. John Sherman is his ideal as a financier. The people, he thinks, and he does not hesitate to say so when he is in Washington, know nothing about finances. It is a sentence. And it won't do for common people to fool with it.

SIMPLE ENOUGH.

however, seems the proposition that the repeal of the Sherman law contracted the circulating medium FORTY MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY.

A revival of prosperity, Senator Ransom asserted, would immediately follow. Nearly one year of business distress and general starvation has passed. The unemployed are still without work and without bread. But at last the millennium is at hand. A Democratic tariff bill, Senator Ransom says, will restore prosperity. Taxes will be lowered; living will be cheaper; the farmers produce will find a competing market and higher prices. The tariff bill will be in operation one month, and what is the answer?

SEVEN MILLION DEFICIT

in the United States Treasury for the month of September. During the month now just past the government expended seven million dollars, in excess of its receipts. This deficit, which is at the rate of more than \$100,000,000 per year, would be alarming at any time, but it is especially so at this time when the new tariff and internal revenue bill is in operation. It has created disappointment and a dashed condition here. The receipts of the Treasury were actually less by nearly \$2,000,000 than in September, 1893, when the country was fast in the insatiable maw of the Wall Street panic. It is no false alarm and the talk of Democratic prosperity.

"A DELUSION AND A LIE."

Prosperity is impossible under existing conditions. The farmers may expect 5 cent cotton within 90 days or before. It will be charged to over-production—to the fact that Liverpool brokers estimate our crop at ten million bales. Two weeks ago when it reached its lowest point in the history of trade; last week it dropped 1/4 of a cent per bushel; cotton dropped 1/4 of a cent per bushel; cotton went down 1/4 of a cent a pound. I don't require any scientific education to enable the plainest farmer in the land to understand market quotations. Everything that "brawn and muscle" produces is tumbling in price. The demand has stopped because labor is idle and starving. The consumers are not buyers. There is no money. The present financial system must be changed. The People's Party is the only hope of the country.

RALLY TO DR. FREEMAN.

Let Us Elect Him to Congress.—Action!

Work. Work.

Tarboro, N. C., Oct. 11, '94.

EDITOR THE CAUCASIAN:—

Now that Dr. Freeman, of Wilson, has been chosen to bear the banner of the People's party in this District for Congress, it behooves us to do our full duty in order that the masses may have a man in the legislative halls of our nation who will represent them in all matters that concern us. Demosclerosis, on one occasion when asked what were the essential elements to oratory, replied: "Action, action, action." What the essential to secure a thorough representative of the people in this District is: work, work, work. Let our people be zealous and indefatigable.

Yours truly,

James B. Lloyd.

SEND YOUR ORDERS TO THE

CAUCASIAN OFFICE FOR

ELECTION TICKETS.

## Those 1894 Silver Dollars.

(Continued from first page.)

statement of every secretary made during the year, for within ten years subsequent to the close of the war, and yet this official misinformation is still repeated from time to time by the present secretary. This sort of information given to the public as true and reliable has been tolerated as long as it ought to be.

Q.—What have you to say about the estimate of the production of gold for 1894, by the present director of the mint?

A.—Well, the present director of the mint seems to be about as accommodating as the Indiana school master, who said he would teach the world to run round or flat, just as they preferred. Mr. Treason was made director of the mint to make estimates and get up statistics for the gold trust, and he has proved a faithful servant to them. I see he estimates the total production of gold for the world for 1894 to be \$155,000,000 which comes up to the production of 1893, the largest ever reported before. But in order to make this out he raises the estimate of a mint everywhere else, especially where figures are not perfectly certain, and restores the estimated production of China of \$8,000,000, which his predecessor, Mr. Leach, dropped out after an investigation which showed to him that it had no foundation. Mr. Preston in order to get this \$8,000,000 for China, which nobody else knows anything about, assumes that all the gold taken into or sent to China by Chinese gold dealers from all parts of the world has all remained in China, and that therefore China's exports of gold must have been produced within the limits of China itself. Del Mar makes the production of gold for 1893 \$122,000,000, but I am inclined to think that this is an underestimate. Without going into details, my own judgment is that the production of last year reached something like \$140,000,000. This increase came largely from the gold fields of South Africa, where gold is found under exceptional conditions in conglomerates, as diluvial gold. That there has been a great stimulus to the production of gold in recent years there is no doubt; but that this excessive production of gold can be kept up for any considerable length of time no competent geologist believes.

Prof. Sikes, in a very positive manner reaffirms in his recent testimony before the German Silver Commission, his previous statements as to the certain decline in the production of gold in the near future.

Mr. Preston has also reduced the estimate of gold consumption in the arts, without any data whatever to base it on, from \$55,000,000 down to \$30,000,000. These things show so plainly that the estimates are made to serve a purpose, that they become worthless as statistics or as official estimates.

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THERE IS ECONOMY in using Rock Salt for your stock. I am now prepared to give you very low prices, bear it in mind. I. B. FONVIELLE.

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